

B LONG

For the use of a Registered Medical Practitioner or Hospital or a Laboratory only.
Abbreviated Prescribing information for B LONG (Pyridoxine Sustained Release Tablets
100 mg)

[Please refer the complete prescribing information available at www.torrentpharma.com]

PHARMACOLOGICAL PROPERTIES:

Mechanism of action:

Pyridoxine hydrochloride is Vitamin B₆. It is converted to pyridoxal phosphate, which is the co-enzyme for a variety of metabolic transformations. It is essential for human nutrition.

Therapeutic indication:

It is indicated for deficiency of vitamin B₆ caused by usage of oral contraceptive pill/drug induced pyridoxine deficiency.

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION:

50 to 150 mg daily in divided doses or as directed by Physician.

Elderly: Dosage requirements appear to be similar to those for young adults.

CONTRAINDICATION:

A history of hypersensitivity to pyridoxine or to any of the excipients of the product.

WARNINGS & PRECAUTIONS:

If symptoms persist or worsen, seek medical advice. Do not exceed the stated dose.

DRUG INTERACTION:

Many drugs may alter the metabolism or bioavailability of pyridoxine, including isoniazid, penicillamine and oral contraceptives, which may increase the requirements for pyridoxine. Pyridoxine hydrochloride may reduce the effect of levodopa, a drug used in the treatment of Parkinsons Disease unless a dopa decarboxylase inhibitor is also given.

ADVERSE REACTIONS:

Long-term administration of large doses of pyridoxine is associated with the development of severe peripheral neuritis.

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